



# **HOUSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT**

## **MEDIA ALERT**

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## **FIRE STATION OPENING CEREMONY**

**WHAT:** Houston Fire Department Station 83 opening ceremony and ribbon cutting.

**WHEN:** Wednesday, June 1, 2005 @ 2 p.m.

**WHERE:** Fire Station 83  
3350 Breezewood  
Key Map 489X

**DETAILS:** The Fire Department, Council Member Pam Holm and members of the local church, business and residential community will welcome the firefighters to the new Fire Station 83 with brief remarks and a ribbon cutting ceremony.

Construction for station 83 broke ground in October 2002 and the station opened on March 2, 2005. It houses an ambulance, engine and squad.

The BlueCross BlueShield Care Van will be giving free childhood vaccinations to children, birth to 18 years from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. The parent or guardian will need to provide all prior immunization shots records. Free blood pressure checks will also be provided to citizens by members of HFD.

